

# Big Sandy Area District Early Intervention Committee

November 8, 2006

## Minutes

Floyd County Extension Office Prestonsburg, Kentucky

Members/Designees Present: Tammy May, Susan Yonts, Melinda Hall, Cessie Bentley, Debbie Preston, Brenda Coleman, Paula Nickles, and Leshia Newsome

Staff Present: Annette Lane-Bartley, Angie Short, Bronita Slone, and Donna Dyer

SUBJECT	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Introductions		
Approval of September Minutes	Minutes were reviewed	Donna Dyer made a motion to accept the minutes and Brenda Coleman seconded.
Agency Updates	Tammy May: New to Head Start this year in Magoffin County. Has been transitioning First Steps kids Susan Yonts: busy with amendments; 6 month reviews are coming up Bronita Slone: very busy and doing her first transition on Tuesday Melinda Hall: working on IFSPs and getting equipment for kids Cessie Bentley: new; no referrals yet, but ready to begin Debbie Preston: No transitions until spring; just finished one in October Brenda Coleman: getting referrals and building a caseload Donna Dyer: meeting her timelines and staying busy Leshia Newsome: 15 children waiting to be tested for services and 17 children ready to transition	

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Old Business	<p>Items approved by the DEIC for child find have been purchased.</p> <p>No parents attended Jenny Wiley and the DEIC had allotted funds for this. Money will go back into general budget</p>	
New Business	None at the present time	
First Steps Report/TAT	<p>Annette updated the DEIC the status of the budget.</p> <p>Annette reported to the DEIC inquiries for FS in the months of September and October.</p> <p>Annette reported our Provider Recruitment plan will be reviewed by the ICC tomorrow.</p> <p>Annette shared the 45 day timeline status</p> <p>Annette discussed status of the Program Evaluator at MSU</p> <p>Annette discussed the question of the month and the monthly newsletter on the website</p> <p>MSU has hired a new Parent Consultant</p> <p>Annette discussed upcoming training opportunities as well as Orientation and PSC training for 2007.</p>	<p>The DEIC has a balance of \$400</p> <p>There were 5 total providers: 2 SLPs, 1 PLE, 1 PSC, and 1 PSC</p> <p>Results will be shared at the January meeting</p> <p>This has improved and will be a primary focus of the state</p> <p>Interviews to be held on November 21.</p> <p>Angie introduced herself and shared info with the DEIC.</p> <p>Annette gave Orientation dates for 2007 and will notify when PSC modules are set.</p>
POE Report	Reports available upon request.	
Next Meeting	January 10, 2007 at the Floyd Co. Extension Office	